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- VAIL, C. H. *Militant and triumphant socialism*. (Chicago: Co-operative Pr. Co. 1913. Pp. 143. 50c.)
- WANINGER, K. *Der soziale katholizismus in England*. (M. Gladbach: Volksvereins-Verlag. 1914. Pp. 139. 1.85 M.)
- WEISENGRUEN, P. *Die Erlösung vom Individualismus und Sozialismus*. (Munich: E. Reinhardt. 1914. Pp. viii, 306. 5 M.)
- WILLIAMS, A. *Copartnership and profit-sharing*. Home university library of modern knowledge, 77. (New York: Holt. 1913. Pp. 256. 50c.)

This book has been written with the intention of providing a useful general idea of the movement toward copartnership and profit-sharing. Copartnership admits the workers as partners to have a voice in the management and a share in the profits. Profit-sharing divides profits with the workers but gives no voice in the management. Both aim toward a better basis of production and distribution. Many instances of both methods are cited in England, France, and the United States; some of them, especially the establishments of Godin and Leclaire, Lever Bros. Ltd., Nelson Manufacturing Company, and Proctor & Gamble, are described in some detail. Trade unions will still exist under profit-sharing schemes, for they must still have power to ask for standard district rates, but the worker is liable to lose his interest in his class. It is a movement to transform capitalism into a form of coöperation and thus eliminate the class struggle. It is not a panacea for all industrial ills but goes far toward relieving the inequalities of the present industrial system.

This is an excellent book and maintains careful distinctions throughout between coöperation, copartnership, and profit-sharing—three terms that are often confused. The descriptions of the experiments, while brief, are thorough. It is a handbook of the subject in every sense of the term.

J. L. LEONARD.

- The Socialist party of the United States*. (Chicago: National Office, Socialist Party. 1914. Pp. 98. 25c.)

Statistics and Its Methods

NEW BOOKS

- HOFFMAN, F. L. *The statistical experience data of the Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md., 1892-1911*. (Baltimore: Johns Hopkins Press. 1913. Pp. 161. \$2.)

Includes a list of works on "the importance of disease registration and the practical utility of institutional and other morbidity records as an aid towards the more successful solution of the pressing problems of labor, social service, medicine, public health, and insurance."

- BOLDUAN, C. F. *Hospital morbidity statistics. A practical method of making them uniform and preparing them for analytic study*. (New York City: Dept. of Health. 1913. Pp. 9.)

Laidlaw, W. *Statistical sources for demographic studies of greater New York*. Two volumes. (New York: N. Y. Federation of Churches. 1913. \$500.)

Virgili, F. *Statistica*. Sixth edition revised. (Milan: Hoepli. 1914. Pp. xx, 228. 1.50 l.)

The New Zealand official year-book, 1913. (Wellington: Government Statistician. 1913. Pp. 987.)

Gives information concerning the occupations of the people as ascertained by the census of 1911. There are more detailed tables on orphanhood and some new figures in regard to the natural increase. The trade section gives new diagrams dealing with (1) trade per head of population, (2) the proportion per cent of various articles of export in 1892 and 1912, (3) exports of wool and frozen meat, and (4) exports of butter and cheese.